

THE CLAIMS

15. (Canceled)

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18. (Previously Presented): A portable handheld computing device comprising:

a casing having upper and lower surfaces, opposing front and back side surfaces, and opposing end surfaces, the ends being dimensionally shorter than the front and back side surfaces; and

a light emitting device mounted externally on the casing, the light emitting device being positioned on the upper surface and wrapping around to and being raised on one of the end surfaces, the light emitting device being activated upon occurrence of an event to notify a user.

19. (Previously Presented): A portable handheld computing device comprising:

a casing having a base and a lid; and

a light emitting device mounted externally and raised on the lid, the light emitting device being activated upon occurrence of an event to notify a user.

1 **20. (Previously Presented):** A portable handheld computing device
2 comprising:

3 a casing having a base and a lid that opens and closes relative to the base,
4 the lid having an upper surface, opposing side surfaces, and opposing end
5 surfaces; and

6 a light emitting device mounted externally on the casing, the light emitting
7 device being activated upon occurrence of an event to notify a user, positioned on
8 the upper surface of the lid, and wrapping around to one of the end surfaces so that
9 the light emitting device is visible from both opposing side surfaces and both
10 opposing end surfaces when the lid is opened or closed.

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12 **21. (Canceled)**

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14 **22. (Canceled)**

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16 **23. (Previously Presented):** A portable handheld computing device as
17 recited in claim 18, wherein:

18 the light emitting device includes a button to deactivate the light emitting
19 device, the button being integrated with the light emitting device.

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21 **40. (Canceled)**

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23 **41. (Previously Presented):** A portable handheld computing device as
24 recited in claim 23, wherein:

25 the light emitting device emits light until the button is activated.

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2 **42. (Previously Presented):** A portable handheld computing device
3 comprising:

4 a casing having upper and lower surfaces, front and back side surfaces, and
5 opposing end surfaces; and

6 a light emitting device mounted externally on the casing,

7 wherein the light emitting device is:

8 activated upon occurrence of an event to notify a user; and

9 positioned such that the light emitting device is visible from the upper
10 surface, one of the side surfaces, and one of the end surfaces.
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12 **43. (Previously Presented):** A portable handheld computing device as
13 recited in claim 42, wherein the light emitting device is further visible from
14 another end surface.
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16 **44. (Previously Presented):** A portable handheld computing device as
17 recited in claim 42, wherein the light emitting device is further visible from
18 another side surface.
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20 **45. (Previously Presented):** A portable handheld computing device as
21 recited in claim 42, wherein the light emitting device is further visible from the
22 bottom surface.
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1 **46. (Previously Presented):** A portable handheld computing device as
2 recited in claim 42, wherein the light emitting device is further visible from the
3 bottom surface, another end surface, and another side surface.

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